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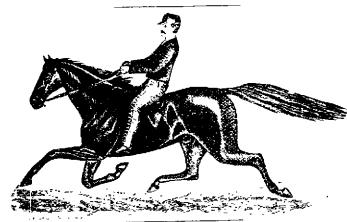
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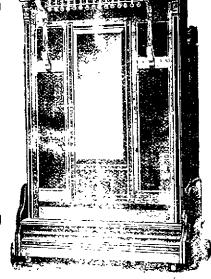
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Fresh Every Day,

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

30-HORSE-POWER MOTORS.

They will be Used by the Decatur Line-Proposed Extension.

Frank E. Snow, president of the Deeatur Electric Street Railway, and W. A. Jackson, a director, who spent yesterday n Decatur, left last night for Detroit, Mich. In company with Manager Martin these gentlemen consulted about extensive improvements of the property, and decided that in addition to the 30-horse power motors and new trucks for the cars - and, by the way, the trucks will be lower than the ones now in use-the company will extend its line in several directions as soon as the necessary arrancements can be made. The proposed extensions are as follows: From Wood street north on Water to East Main street, one block; from corner of Wood and Water streets east on Wood to Broadway, south on Broadway to Cantrell etreet, east on Cantrell to city limits; from corner of North Edward and Cerro Gordo streets west on Cerro Gordo to Monroe street, south on Monroe to Eldorade, west on Eldorado to the fair grounds; from corner of Broadway and East Cerro Gordo streets north on Broadway to the park of the Decatur Trotting Association.

The best of material will be used in the construction, and eight new summer cars, with numberless trailers will be provided. Possibly the new cars will be built by the Wayne Bros., this city. It is the special desire of Manager Martin that the care shall be made in Decatur. A PARK POSSIBLE.

An effort will be made by Manager Martin to secure a lease on the fair grounds, and if he succeeds the company will convert the picturesque grounds into a beautiful park, which cannot fail to become a proper place of resort.

It is gratifying to note the lively interest the Short Line officials take in Decacatur. They agree with us that Decatur is the livelest city of its size in the country, and they have every promise of satisfactory dividences by investments

A Splendid Comody.

Those who go to the Grand Saturday night will witness a splendid comedy in "The Two Old Cromes," of which the maka Lepublican suid:

The very mirthful operatic extrava-ganza of "Old Cropies" was given at the brand Onera House last evening to fair authence. That those present were delighted was attested by the generous applanse accorded to the members of the company. Laughter and applanse was the order of the evening, and recalls that the order of the evening, and recalls that would not be denied were very frequent. Messrs. Wills and Henshaw and Miss Ten Broeck are the leading fun-makers of the company, and they kept the merment at high pitch all the evening. There is more fun to the minute in the "Two Old Cronies" than there is in nine-"Two Old Cronies" than there is in inte-tenths of its kindred plays on the stage to-day. The musical gems, interspersed through the comedy, are the choicest selections from the brightest and most selections from the operas that have of late so pleused the public. Those who want to be highly entertained musically, and euloy three hours or so of pure and innocent mirth, should attend the matines his afternoon or the closing performance

Their Business Booming. Probabily no one thing has caused

such a general revival of trade at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, code, asthma, bronchitis, croup, and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle war-

A public meeting was held at the city hall to consider the matter of lighting the city by electricity. Resolutions requesting the council to take the necessary action to secure the lighting of the

city were adopted by a vote of 40 to 9. Thomas N. Leavitt, the extensive mahinery and implement dealer, has started branch houses in Clinton and Weldon. The Hon, W. H. Oglevee and a Mr. Graham will be associated with him in the Clinton house, and the firm of Seabourg & Byland will be associated with him at Weldon. The firm name is W. H. Oglevee & Co. at Chnton, and T. N. Leavitt & Co. at Weldon.

The wife of C. P. Fries, of Storm Lake, Is., formerly of Maros, died at Storm Lake on Feb. 1. The remains were brought to Marca for interment.

Nenralgis causes much Insanii; I
The highest medical authorities of Europe and
America have recently decided that a large percentage of cases of insanity is caused by the excrutating
pains of Neuralgia of the head and face. If any mamber of your family suffers this tormentor, induce them
to try Ballard's Snow Limment. One application
will afford immediate relief and you will soon be rid
of a dangerous and tormenting disease. Hallard's
Snow Liniment is the most penetrating Liniment
known. It positively cures theumatism. Lame Back
Contracted Misseles. Old Sores, Corns, Bunons, etc.
It penetrates and opens up the pores, drawing all
poissonous matter to the surface, restoring and promoting a natural circulation of the blood through the
diseased parts.
Sold by John A. Swearingen. Druggist. Sold by John A. Swearingen, Druggist,

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Leh-man's

Feather Renovating. Have your feathers renovated by the old reliable firm, Cox, Chamberlain & Co. Library Block. THE Old Reliable Peter mouttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Speneer & Lehman.

Shortage on Corn Crop. A dispatch from Springfield says: "The statistical report of the Secretary of the It Seems to Work Quietly and Most State Board of Agriculture, just issued, reviewing the products of the state for 1889, makes a somewhat startling statement relative to the corn yield, which amounted to 247,980,589 bushels, the estimated value of which was \$58,537,047. The cost of production, as returned by 1,600 correspondents, is given at \$9.75 per acre, or a total of \$68,272,872, nearly \$10,000,000 in excess of the value of the crop. In twenty-two counties the profit was \$2,526,304, while in the remaining eighty counties the lose was \$12,562,127.

Seven per cent, interest on the amount

account in estimating cost of producthe previous year, and the condition of the crop much above the average. The Resean ily and wire worm are doing some damage to the crop in a few Southern counties, but on the whole little damage has been done. The same conditions govern winter rye. The year 1889 has been an unusually productive one in other crops. Not only has the yield been good, but the quality has been above the average, and the farmers of the state have reason to congratulate them-

agricultural affairs. Referring to the condition of live stock, the report shows the number of hogs reported for the year to be 339,391 less than for 1888. There were marketed 3,068,036, bringing \$27,348,904, or \$10,-000,000 less than for the previous year. In cattle, 2,398,191 were reported, of which 23 per cent., or 551,571 were marketed, bringing \$18,378,190, or about \$2,000,000 less than the amount of 1889. The number of sheep reported was 656,-723, of which 22 per cent, or 146,675, were marketed, bringing \$517,756, a slight mcrease over 1888. There is some complaint of disease among farm stock, but as a rule it is healthy, and with plenty of corn and late pasturage it is probable it will come through the winter in good

selves upon the present condition of

TELEGRAPHIO TRIFLES.

-Small poy of a malignant type has broken out at Anna, III,

-The New York Assembly World's Fair bill, as amended, was defeated in the State Sonato yesterday.

-The Store Manufacturers' National Association convened in Chicago shortly before mon yesterday, in Secret session

An incomparating at Attellision, Kinn, has

-An me gorge at Atchison, Kan, has caused much damage to the extensive dykes put up by the tovernment last summer at a cost of \$100,000.

-Thomas Palmer, a wealthy young farmer wanted for the murdor of Officer Boppe, at Summer, IL, December 20, has been arrested at Kanner, Ph.

This, R. G. Wood, wife of the author of the forged ballot-hax paper, testified before the House committee conducting the ballot-

the House committee conducting the ballot-box investigation yesterday. Her testimony was unimportant
—Thomas Barry, who has achieved some notoriety by attacking the Knights of Labor and starting a workingmes's society of his own, was barred out of the convention of the Michigan Federation at East Sagmay, yesterday.
—The Mormons of Salt Lake City are much cust down at the recent decision of the Su-preme Court admining the Idaho Text-oath law, and regard it as the hardest blow the

aw, and regard it as the hardest blow the shareh has ever received. The Gentiles are jubilant, and feel it will bring about legisla-tion of a similar character for Utalia

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Casteria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoris.

THE Bluegrass Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done March 3-dawt

ROBERT KRAFT, Furniture Gilded and Colored FIRST DOOR SOUTH OF NIEDER-MEVER'S STORE ON THE MOUND --

LOANS.

Aaron Smick,

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Michael Su tzenberger, Deceased.

Estate of Michael Su tzenberger, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Michael Sulfzenberger, late of the county of Macon and state of Hisnois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court hone in Decatur, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

MILTON JOHNSON, feb5-day

Administrator.

Administrator's Notice. Administrator's Nolice.

Estate of Sarah Warson, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Sarah Warson, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, lereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decaur, at the April term, on the first Monday in April best, at which time all persons having chains against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indelted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1800.

Administrator with the Will annexed.

Notice of Final Settlement. Estate of Anna Gill, Deceased.
You are hereby notified that on Monday, the third day of March, A. D. 1880, the Administrator of Sod estate, will present to the County Court of Macon county, at the County doing's office in Decaure, Illinois, his final report of his ats and donners as such Administrator, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further dullers and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

February 4th, 1820

L. M. GH.L. Estate of Anna Gill, Deceased.

L. M. GH.L. feb4-d2w Administrator of said fistate Medicine and Surgery.

T. B. SPALDING, M. D. DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Office In Central Block, over B Stings's Clothing Store. july26-d&wt

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Benificially in Springfield.

The attendance in the public schools The attendance in the public schools of the city has been reduced somewhat lately by the prevalence of the grip, but still the enrollment for January shows 3400 pupils, which is nearly 200 above the number for October last. The operation of the compulsory school law in the city computer has been comparatively oity seems to have been comperatively satisfactory, and the number between seven and fourteen years who are out of school has been materially reduced. The law is enforced in a very conciliatory manner, and scarcely any one has been found who manifested a disinclination to comply with the law. Mary have been found, however, who were actually unable to clothe their children for school and invested in the land was taken into account in estimating cost of production.

The area devoted to winter wheat is reported as seven per cent, larger than for such cases, the organized charities of the such cases. city have been of inestimable value. No worthy cases have been reported to the secretary of that organization which have not been relieved, and a large number of

poor children have thus been helped into the public schools through the gifts of benevolent people who gave simply when asked, without knowing what good their gifts were doing. Of course it will take some time to reach all whom the compulsory law should reach, but thus far all the law should reach but thus far he operation of the law in Springfield has been very successful, and, so far from proving a hardship in any case, it has in many justances, as indicated above, been nn exceedingly helpful measure aside from what it is doing as an educational influence.—Springfield Journal.

The only reliable vegetable substitute for calomel, which acts on the liver, blood kidneys and stomach, and best anti bil ious purgative is Maguire's Cundurango. Indorsed by Archbishop Ryan, of Phila-delphia; Rev. McNally, of St. Louis, and a host of prominent people.



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This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeress. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multimod of low test, short weight alium or phosphate powders. Sold only for cars. ROYALBAKING POWDER CO., 166 Wall St., N. Y.

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Cole's Carbolison prevents pimples, that kheads, chapped and only skin, and preserves, freshens and benutilies the complexion. It is unequaled from use in bard water, and its absolute purity and delicate perfume make sit a positive inxury for the lath and nursery.

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Franulated Sugar, 13 lbs for \$ 1 00 Kingan Hams, per lb, 1 00 California Hams, per lb,..... J (9) Breakfast Bacon, 5 lbs White Extra C Sugar,..... Heavy Bacon, 10e 15)% lbs C Sugar,.....Good Syrup, per gallon,.... Best Lard, per lb,.... Chipped Dried Beef, 200 FLOUR. Best roller process flour, per sack, 50 lbs,..... \$1 05 Miscellaneous. Coffee Packages | Best Coal Oil, per gallon,...... 15c 25c Best Vinegar, per gallon,.... Fancy Raisins, new..... New French Prunes, Sardines, 7c, or 4 for..... Canned Peaches in syrup, Good Coffee in bulk,.... Canned Blackbernes, 814 Sibley Canned Goro, 7c, or 4 for 25 Baking Powder, in 1th cans, 2 for 25c Baking Powder, in bulk 15c TEAS. 50c to 50c Imperial, (best,).....Y, H.,......Japan Tea, in 1 lb cans, at.... Mackerel, in pound cans, 10c
Star Tobacco. 45c
Climax Tobacco. 45c

bars Logan & Beik's,.....bars Lautz Broe',
 25c
 Horse Shoe Tobacco, per pound, 45c

 25c
 Lemons, per dozen, 20c

 25c
 Brooms, 10e
 Lenox soap,..... -THESE PRICES ARE FOR SPOT CASH.-

Chimax Tobacco, 30c
Big 4 Tobacco, per pound, 45e
Lemons, per dozen, 20c

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FRIDAY FVE, FEB 7, 1890

THE floods in Oregon which have caused much alarm, were about at a stand yesterday, and the feeling of dread as to the probable destruction of prop erty has given way to a more hopeful

THE Atlanta (institute in save that maybeyet to this less abstrattly names and domestic certain thy they is straight a continue to the surface of t "free connage of silver is a distinctly Democratic issue! If this be true Groters not later to a sile request the 1. William William William II. 11. 1 ver Cleveland is not a good Democrat, for he not only opposed free connect, but he tried to have the present traited con: age stopped

YESTERDAY the committee on rules made its report to the house through Mr Cannon which was read in lordered printed. The report was him core dered. by the Republic in causins or laccepted but not with at some discussion. The till despite left is any till at the but not with at some discussion. The till despite left is any till at the but not be but no praction of the caucus however lowels practical state of the will train to the practical mannimity on the minim questions involved and insured the adoption of their designment of the rides when they can up for action so the calculation of the rides when they can up for action so the calculation of the rides when they can up for action so the calculation of the rides when they can up for action so the calculation of the caucus however lowers and the calculation of the calculations are calculated as a calculation of the ca action of the caucie however lowers in the house

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manual of regislative providers which is a recently land only on the subject It sustains the Ber ibli a contribution in the present controversy in the House of Represent ives Cushing Jefferson, Crocker and all the other authorities as well as the spirit of the Constitution and the dictates of reason are all or the side of Mess & Leed M Kills and thin colleagues in this dispute Th Gran mi Case

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are to be carried before his buy rene guaranteed to thou by the constitution of the United States in that they were not present in person when the Stitle Supreme Course aftered its hard july ment in the case. It is expect to but the hearing will be had before the Lederal Supremat mut in O tab r

Death of Mis M B Hall After a long and ponfor illness Vrs. Clarin LeB Hall wife of Myron b Hall the family rest length No of North Manstreet aged Tyears. I st October the The point of wis callist or hell them be since then she has been contried to her of Sulvation Oil. Price 2" cents. Decature in 1800. During the war stee of Dr. Bailts Cough Syrup should be life wise of in that World all just served for a time is a hospital nurse at bought at less l'according to the life bought in less l'according to the life bought in less laccording to the life was constituted by the life was constitut Washington While attending to her business as a hair dealer milliner and stamper, Mrs Hall devoted a portion of her time to philanthropic efforts taking a personal interest in the orphics of settlers and in moral reforms accordly The past few years she had led the agit tion for the establishment of an Industrial School for girls and sue I clurged that the county should this steps in the matter She was at Springhell during the session of the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through WOMAN'S INDUSTRIAL AND the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through WOMAN'S INDUSTRIAL AND the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is believed that it was largely through the last legislature and it is largely through the last legislature and the last legislature and the las her efforts that the legislature passed the bill for the addition to the Schliers Or phans' Home at Nevel A hu-bard Office North I his Street Second | White and two sons, I rank M and Herbert Hall, survive the de enseu

The funeral will be head this evening at 5 o'clock at the residence her Dr. Vosburgh officiating 11 1 will be expressed to-night to Sarity, i N Y for

Thrown Out of a Burn Mrs. Samuel Pretter and Mrs. b. evey Stearns started to drive to their I may about two miles and a hilf north of of the city, vesterday afternoon, and a set near Broadway street their norse fright and nade a wild dish e st - ? dorado stree When Mergin street is reached the animal gave a quick turn of the north the andden movement in turning the buggy and hurling the ϵ pants to the ground. The herse u ceeded in freeing himself and was stip ped a block north. When the two laties were first assisted to rise it was them be they surely must have enstained fat in ereby establishing a reconciliation of puries. They were taken to the call of 1 lag 8t lans lat Dispath Dr C. B. Kennedy, who gave them; mer medical treatment and it seet the wounds. Mrs. Frotter w smore serious ly injured than her conglition receiving a severe gash upon her to all besides being very painfully bruise i about her face and shoulders. Mrs. Stearns received injuries about the head and shoulders and when first assisted was in an uncon scious state. A hack was summoned and the ladies taken to the home of Milton Trotter, 954 North Broadway, where the

medical aid. Decatur Musical College. Corner Main and William streets The thirty-minth Pupils' Recital will be given Thursday evening, Feb 6
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ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN CLUBS OFFICIAL CALL

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If the Repathean Clabs of it State of ittim in
There will be a convention of the delegates
representing the Clubs of this Leadure in Refre
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session thereafter during such hours is said Egitor Murat Halstead on the Wit-

season there after during such hours as said convention shall determine You are requisted 1 elected by attention to

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A FEATTIFLE voung lady became so

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Sarsaparilla, which she took and was

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tions in Chicago at 1 15 p. m. to-day, re-

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WHEAT—75 Feb. 76 Mar. 75 \(\frac{1}{4}\) M to

CORN—28\(\frac{1}{4}\) Feb. 28\(\frac{1}{4}\) Mar. 31\(\frac{1}{6}\) May

OATS—21 Feb. 21\(\frac{1}{4}\) Mar. 22\(\frac{1}{6}\) May

PORK—896\(\frac{1}{4}\) Feb. \$9.70 Mar. \$9.95

Land-\$5.77 Feb, \$5.55 Mar, \$5.97

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THE BALLOT BOX CASE | making inquiries was told that Mr. | Haddon was probably the only man who making inquirles was told that Mr. could throw any light on the subject. Haddon was found, but he denied hav ing any knowledge as to whether or not

the paper was a forgery
Witness then told the committee how

he retracted statements made in former

publications, and pronounced the paper a forgery He read a letter from Senator Sherman, urging him to expose (through his paper) all those who were connected with the forgery He also handed to the committee all the correspondence that had passed between Governor Foraker and himself in con nection with the matter, also a letter addressed to him by General Grosvenor in connection with publishing the forged letter. It was passed to members of the committee and read, after which Gen eral Grossenor objected to it being put in the record Governor Foraker were imprisoned Resouing parties mutta ves culty Mur send a Sherman also read the letter, insisted upon it goand counted that he had a ver signed ling in the record. After more discushave succeeded in bringing two hunany bille b x o it at and pronounced sion it was decided by the committee died of the imprisoned men to the surhis signitiate to the ballot box paper a to determine, in secret session whether face some of whom were more or less forgery I Hamy A Storey who was an or not it should become a part of the

When trovernor Poraker gave him the paper witness stated that he told him he had made all the use of it that he could, and that he could have it He also cautioned him to be careful of what use he made of it. He denied having any information, direct or indirect implicating Messis McKinley Butterworth Sherman, or others in the matter

The committee then adjourned until

FIFTY-PIRST CONGRESS (First Session)

SENATE Washington Feb 6 -At the concitation of morning business the Senate passed the bill extending for two years from its passage the time of beginning and fluishing the fridge across the Mississippi rever at Bur Ington Ia also the bill appropriating \$5 5% for a public building at I existen Me, also the House bill granting the use of cer is plan is to the city of St. Augustine, kla, for a public park Some dispute alose over Mr. Harris me

Some dispute arose over Mr. Hattis motion to a tion to a ver from Thursday till Monday. Mr. Blair insisting that he desired a speak to motrow. Unanimous consent was asked for a proposition that Mr. Blair to all wed to continue to motrow and that no other business be transacted but Mr. Blair said that he would not be a party to an averagement under which Suntors would orangement under which Scantors would able to absent themselves from the chain be a die to absent themselves from the chain per dan ng the discussion of the F ducational bill.

Mr Herris motion was finally agreed to. The Sen ite took up again the Oklahoma lill and its reading was concluded. Some

formal amendments were agreed to Mr Vest of jected to the provision under which persons of foreign birth who had de-clared their intentions to become citizens would be permitted to vote at the first elec-

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Continuing his remarks of vesterdey Millian gave attribute to preve that illiteracy was increasing in the United States. The money measurement for the execution of the billishould be appropriated he said whether there was a strains in the treasury or at dictible money and because unless the children were odnessed their would be nether a subjusting and and on live not be said in the North the common seth also string was trembling in the and on 1 the not be said in the forming schill system was trembling in the 1 dance and he expressed the belief that hefere the younger senators had pussed away the common schild system of the United Stats (which was the republic) would have received its death wound if, he dead it taken to the large with a large with the state of the common schill specific states the state of the deed it had not aircally died. Contrasting

In the House thus morning the fournal was real and declar d | proved by a vote of 155 to 0—the Democrats refraining from voting and the Speaker counting a sufficient num ber present but net voting to nake up the metitutional cuorum
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reported the new reds of rules which was ordered print I and recommitted The Senite Direct taxt fill was laid before the House in Dieterred to the committee on the judiciars
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The House then arts pens adjourned The understood that the House will to more we not a candidate by unanimous consent and then adjoirn until Monday who the new cole of culos will be taken up in the season. entertuned at dinner list night by Mi Eugene Shijler United States Consul

CONGRESSMAN RANDALL DYING The Great Statesman Pronounced Beyoud Hope by His Physicians

Wyshington Leb o - Simuel J. Randall is reported to be dying to night He had at id turn in the afternoon, and the do tors have been in continual at tend mer since. The members of his family decline to give any information eguing his condition but from a reli

able source your orrespondent learns hat he is gordually sinking and that his hours on earth are numbered A Terrible Accident i) - Moints la leb 7 - A special to the Levier from Waterloo, Ia, says i terrible sculent resulting in the leath of an main and semous injury of another occurs I there yesterday after nion by the giving way of a scaffold of Minister Phelps at the American Legathe new Stril stand pipe lack Long of Hamilton Ont and Wilder Bardeen of Waterloo were precipitated to the lottom, a distance of eighty five feet.

Long's neck was broken and he expired

numedrately Bardeen had several ribs

fin ture land is terribly bruised from

striking timbers in his descent but the

physicians think that he will recover.

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tombed by an Explosion EMPEROR WILLIAM'S LATE RESCRIPTS.

The Ratification of the Samoan Treaty-

Cardinal Pecci Dying-Would-be

Assassins-Colonial Federation

-Stanley Dined

England.

HORRISTLE LAPLOSION IN A COAL MINE.

London Feb 6 -An explosion in a

colliery at Abersychan, Moninouthshire,

injured The exploration of the mine

proceeds in the hope that the other im-

was thrown high into the an amid a

volume of flame and a dense column of

smoke The flist party of resouers tried

to penetrate the old mine, but without

success. They saw many dead bodies,

but were unable to reach them After

THE ESTIMATE NOT TOO HIGH

gradually forced the gas into the pit which was the scene of yest iday's dis-neter. I you this information it is al-

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mine be prosecuted for criminal negli-

THE EMITOYERS UNION

The Employers Union formed for the

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ready embraces sixty firms and offers

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A DENSE BLACK FOR LIVERPOOF 1ct 7 -- A dense black

for prevails here to day. It is imposs

ble for vessels to navigate the Mersey, and all the shipping is lying idle

Bulgaria

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has elicited proof that they were ready

to surround the palace on the occasion

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COLONIAL TEDERATION

MLIBOURNI 100 7 -The Colonial

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terday Mr James Service Prime Min

ister of Victoria was elected to preside

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STANLEY DINED.

CARRO Lub 7 - Henry M Stanley was

A large number of prominent persons

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THE EAST LEGES DESCRIES

Brris. 1 (b) 3-The Progressist pa-

pers applaud the tone of the Emperer s

rescripts to Prince Bismarck and Baron

Von Berlens hethe new Prussian Min-

ister of Commerce in regard to the

grievances of workingmen but the

press generally is reticent in its com-

ments It is pointed out that owing to

the fact that the rescripts are not count

ersigned by a responsible manister they

are unconstitutional and their validity

THE RATIFICATION OF THE SAMOAN

HEATY APPROVED

BIRIN 16b 7 -The confirmation o

the Samoan treaty by the United States

Senate affords general satisfaction here

Count Herbert Bismarck called upon

tion before office hours yesterday morn

changed upon the ratification of the

Mrs Phelps gave an afternoon tea

yesterday The rooms were thronged

with a large number of American ladies

and gentlemen who expressed much

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Soria, Icb 7 The examination of Major Panitza and his co-conspirators

find it difficult to offset.

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have since died

number of killed at 130

diplomacy in connection with the Sa-AN AWFUL DISASTER Italy.

OARDINAL PECCI DYING ROME, Feb 7 -Cardinal Pecci is sink-Three Hundred English Minera Hning rapidly and has received the last sacraments of the church

MAY EAT MEAT Rome, Feb 7 -The Pope has issued a lecree empowering bishops in all coun-

tries where the influenza has prevailed or still exists to absolve the faithful from the obligation of fasting FOREIGN FLASHES

-A Paris newspaper states that a French loan of 250 000 000 francs will shortly be is--Mr Henry M Stapley has been elected a member of the Russian Geographical Sc

olety

The scribbing pottion of the German army is waging a paper was preparatory it would seem, to the action on a more san goinary field which they undisquisedly hope for

A judicial order has been hunded to the correctional police of Paris for the apprehension of M Secretar the secretary of the the definet copper ving and swert is the.

the defunct copper ring, and several other members of the ring

-The committee of the London Dock I is
borers Union is making preparations for a
general strike on Monday I in section of
the committee is causing much discontent

prisoned men may be found and brought lorry bodies of those who perished s many of them are averse to striking have been taken from the mine, and —The French propose to protect their bud ding medicos as well as their manufactures It is definitely settled that foreign physicials fifty of the miners are still entombed The owners of the mine estimate the practicing in France must be taxed and als pass an examination by a faculty of medi-cine which has almost unlimited discretion The noise of the explosion was heard a mile away The gearing of the shaft

GIVES UP THE CASE The Ohio Lieutenant-Governorship Con-

test Ended COLLMBLE O Feb 7 -The contest for

the Lieutenaut Governorship is over the smoke abated the rescuers descend-Mr Lampson has given up the case and eard last night in regard to the matter ed the shaft and were able to enter a part of the works. A large number of After full consideration and acting up-on the advice of my attorneys and a conthose rescued were somously burned and ference of leading Republicans, I have some of them will die. The latest estimate of the dead is 150 Sixty bodies decided not to attempt to take the contest to the "uprime Court This decihave been recovered, all of which are sion is based largely upon legal consid erations When the contest in the Sen The pit was regulded as a model of ate was ended no competent testimony good ventilation and was lighted with naked lumps. The physicians in attendance pronounce half of the number was heard by that body Not a Senato had read or heard the depositions of or dead to have been killed by fire and either side on file in the case. No ora concussion and the other half by suffotestimony was effected on the part of eation Several of those rescued alive inyaclf, the Senite refusing to hear it What purported to be a summary of depositions made by the committee on elections, but which in fact was a sum-LONDON Feb 7-It is now apparent mary of conclusions made by Mr Muthat the estimate of the number of lives quiss' attorneys and largely unsuslost by yesterday's explosion in the Abersichan colliery, made by the owntained by the depositions themselves was read by said intorners and upon this the Senate decided the case. The and many believe that the dead will exjournal of the first day's proceedings as approved showed that a summary of seed their figures-120 Although some fifty bodies have been taken out, the depositions was read On the second rescuing work is only at its beginning thay the swite summary was continued and concluded. This summary conand a vast amount of labor is required to cle u away the debris and recover the bodies that remain The bodies taken tained ilso a summary of the deposiout are sy horribly mutilated that ex tions taken on behalf of the contested which wis not read by Mr Marquisa cept in two or three cases identification attorneys The next day after the conis impossible, recognition being rentest it dawned upon Mr Mirquiss' at dered doubly doubtful by the fact that torneys that the decision of the Senate men owing to the close and heated at was bised upon no evidence presented mosphere of the nine were no clothing to the Senate and that the journal so whatever, except heavy boots to proshowed Thereupon the journal was teet their feet from the flinty made to read that di positions were read bottom. It is escent and that the mine before the Senite, instead of a summary has been in a dangerous condition for some time pist. Not long igo an ex A summary of denositions is not plosion occurred in in adjoining pit by which five men were killed. The damaged pit was flooded and the water

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purished in of the case in prowmanto proceedings and decide that the deer sion or judgment of the South was a prohibly the same result. Another trial would delay the business of the Senate and be expensive to the State as the case ought to go to the Supreme Court but it has been determined other wase and this decision is find. NIND MUN KILLED.

Terribly Fatal Accident on the Union Pacific Rallroad

Pomition Ore 1ct 7 - Particulars

of the railroad accident that occurred on Sundry list on the Union Preific culrond near Cascade Locks on the Columbia 11961 - in wit i h nine men were killed and wounded have been received. The transconsisted of the engine, tender and caboose and had on board about thirty five Publiers. When the engine had almost cleared the trestic which was about fifty feet in lergth, the underpinning was wished iwiy by the torient underneath and the tender, with the caboose and its occupants, were hurled into the rivine forty feet below Light of the men were instant: killed and mutilated almost beyond regognition The following are the names of those killed Jerry Puses

Fred Marthough Andrew I rost Theodore Skalohime August Carson Charles Restoff John Schroeder Henry Crouche William Cole

All the bolics except William Cole's, a section man with liken away soon after the accident Cole s body, which was builed beneath the hibris and im possible to recover until yesterday was pulled out with ropes Collapse of a Speculative Building As-

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We commence to-day the SAC-RIFICE SALE to CLEAR OUT what stock we have left in our China and Glassware Departments.

We have no room to show this stock except during holiday times, as the space devoted to it belongs to our Clock Department, and we must have it NOW. Come Early, we have some Bargains in CUT GLASS, Fine China Ice Cream Sets, and Fancy Pieces, and about a HALF DOZEN FULL DINNER SETS, all of which will be SACRI-FICED.

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Commencing Sunday, January 26, the P., D. & E. R. R. will have Pullman leeper and chair cars on night trains between Decatur and Evansville, making close connection at Evansville with first train for Florida and all Southern points. Q. O. Judson, ticket agent, Union depot. E. O. Hopkins, general passenger agent.

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THE Old Reliable Peter Snuttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spenecr &

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LOCAL NEWS.

FRIDAY EVE., FEB. 7, 1890.

"Down went McGinty!"—but not a ow as our prices on Glassware. E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

W. A. Combs' Restaurant.

PLACE your order for shoes. DECATUR is all right. Now we can get

our choes and barrels made at home. Let the good work go on. There are way, and we learn that two are almost

ero this morning. THE "Immortal J. N." paid Decatur

Use the famous White Loaf and Daily

GREAT fun to-morrow night, "The I'wo Old Cronies" will be the comedy at-

W. A. Comes' Restaurant

Your only opportunity to see the Batle of Gettysburg will be to night at the

W. A. Comes' Restaurant.

THERE were two overflowing houses at Springfield on Tuesday to witness "The Battle of Gettysburg," which is to be produced at the Grand to-night. See this great exhibition, and take the chil-

J. LYTLE & Co. are among the leaders in the retail grocery business in Decatur. They carry a full line of table supplies. W. A. Combs' Restaurant.

It is no trouble to get good pictures at the Den Chamberlain gallery.

W. A. Comes' Restaurant.

THE town of Champaign is to have a new \$30,000 hotel, erected by George F. Beardsley and John W. Stipes, heirs of

A CHOICE line of desirable groceries and California fruits on sale daily at Moore Bron store.

You will like the popular White Foun flour. It is first class.

A dang of bums was arrested yesterday and lodged in the first ward cooler by Detective Ballard, of the Wabash. They are supposed to be implicated in the burglary of the telegraph office at Edwards. ville Junction Wednesday morning.

C. B. PRESCOTT is known far and wide as the Decatur fair dealing merchant. His leading specialties are the Haines and Everett pianos. A full variety of organs in stock.

Wabash train, No. 41, was delayed this morning by an accident to the engine and mail car while the train was at Springfield, A switch engine backed into the passenger engine and caused quite a commotion. No one hurt. The disabled engine went to the shops in

THE Terre Haute & Peoria R. R. Co will sell round trip tickets to the Sangerfest at New Orleans on February 8th, 9th and 10th, good to return until February Por tickets call on T. Peniwell, city ticket agent, 155 Central Block.

This evening a meeting of the taxpayers of the first, fourth and fifth wards will be held at Harpstrite's hall, No. 708 North Broadway, to determine upon the action to be taken on the special sewer tax. Quite a number of local orators have been invited to address the meeting.

Williams' Australian Herb Pills. If you are yellow, bilious, constipated, with headache, bad breath, drowsy, no appetite, look out, your liver is out of order. One box of these Pills will drive all the trouble away and make a new being of you. Price, 25 cents. John A.

MAY BE MADE IN DECATUR.

The Automatic Check Rower on Exhibition.

The special attention of Decatur citizens and farmers in particular is colled to the Woodling automatic check rower attachment for corn planters, now on exhibition at the carriage and agricultural implement establishment of E. G. Allen & Bro. on Wood street. All are invited to call and see it. It is an enirely new thing and strikes the beholder is being at once simple and practical. The inventor claims that it will do a third more planting in a day than any other check rower made. It does not require a wire or rope. It is operated by what are known as "check spokes," which operate the drop in an automatic manner. The invention must be seen to be

appreciated. The inventor is backed by Mr. Sawyer, s wealthy resident of Logansport, Ind. He is a friend of the Brenneman Bros., of this city, who take a personal interest in the matter. Sixty of the Woodling check rowers have been made and all are in successful operation. The one at E. G. Allen & Bro.'s store will be placed in charge of a Macon county farmer, and there will be a public exhibition of its

merits. It is the intention of the owners of the Woodling to have the check rower mannfactured in Decatur, the home of the check rower incerests, and in all probability this enterprise will be another factory boom for our city.

New Feed Store.

Mr. Wm. Kossieck has opened a feed store in the rear of F. W. Kossieck's gro-cery store, No. 156 South Main street. He will keep all kinds of mill feed, corn and oats, hay, straw, etc., and will delive the same to his customers.

Goodman's Band will give a grand is called to their superior Mince Meat, masquerade ball at Guard's Armory on Thursday evening, February 13th, for which the best of music will be provided. Tickets, 50c.

The Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vahiole work.

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Buried With Military Honors. The impressive funeral services attendng the burial of the late Edwin Philbeack were held this forencon at St. Hurrah! Hurrah! Decatur John's Episcopal church, in the presence of a large assemblage of friends, among

whom were Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Philbrook, of Normal, Miss Mary Philbrook, of Bloomington, John Crocker and Miss Louise Crocker, of Maroa, and Mrs Jen-nie Gilchrist, of Lincoln, Ill. Members of Dunham Post, 141, G. A. R., were present in a body to pay their respects to the deceased comrade who had been an officer of the Poet. There were numerous fieral offerings. The beautiful Episcopal burial service was used by the officiating clergyman, Rev. Montgomery M. Goodwin. At the close of the church service the long funeral cortege formed, with the G. A. R. Post as an escort, and moved to Greenwood Cemetery. where Commander Roberts directed the final service with Comrade R. P. Lytle as chaplain. The body was laid at rest with military honors, closing with the firing of a volley over the grave. The pall bearers were T. L. Evans, Allen Litsinberger, J. H. Coonradt, W. J. Wayne, G. R. Steele and C. M. Imboden. A Contract Drawn up and

Failure at Niantic.

A number of attachments were issued last night and to-day on the stock of goods owned by Charles Connaghan at Niantic. Constable Midkiff served the

The claims aggregate about \$15,000, and the stock is worth about \$7,000 Claims are lodged by Cornelius Connsghan, of Niantic, for \$3300; Kohn Bros., of Chicago, \$1199, on confessions taken at our other large factories headed this Danville yesterday; also attachments in favor of Young Bros. & Maris, Decatur, for \$200, and Ehrhart & Co. for \$183. THE mercury was at 30 degrees above | Claims are also held by Linn & Scruggs, the Shellabarger Mill & Elevator Co., the Hatfield Milling Co., and firms at Indianapolis, Chicago, Terre Haute and Spring-

Sales of Real Estate.

Frances M. Ruby to Jennie Phillips, deed to lot 2, block 4 and block 5 in R. R. deed to too Macon \$200.
Charles Connaghan, of Niantic, to James Connaghan, of Moultrie county, deed to tract of land in Niantic township

-\$7813.33.
Charles Connaghan to James Connaghan, quit claum to 140 acres in 12, and 26 in 16, 1 east \$7,812.
Charles Connaghan to Patrick Connaghan, deed to two lots in Niantic-\$1000.
Thomas J. Draper, Abram L. Draper and U. G. Draper to Louis S. Draper, quit claim to the undivided three-sixths of 40 acres in 8, 15, 3 east—\$600.
Lohn A. Bruper, sr., to Louis S. Dra-John A. Draper, sr., to Louis S. Dra-ler, quit claim to 40 acres in 8, 15, 3 east \$300.

Sent up the Road.

John Resenbush, the burn who stole two pails of tobacco from a Wabash car at Quincy on the evening of November 17th, was sentenced at Quincy Wednesday morning to serve a term of two years in the state penitentary. He was captured on the eve of December 5th by Detective Ballard and lodged in jail at

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ed, Dimock continues to grow better. J. K. Warren has returned from Chi-

Smith Crowder has returned from Chi-Col. D. H. Conklin departed this noon

Dr. L. H. Clark returned this morning Dr. Everett J. Brown was called to

Born-to Mr. and Mrs. Len Carr, a Bearsdale, Feb. 5, a son. Miss Blanche Brandom is visiting with

Mrs. P. Loeb is convalescing after at liness of several months.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnes Bering Burrows departed ng for points in Kentucky.

Mse Crossman has recovered from his recent attack of la grippe.

Mrs. J. R. Bonham, of Tuscola, Dr. W. J. Chenoweth paid a profess ional call to Harristown yesterday.

William Taylor returned this morning from a business trip through Kansas. Geo, Elirhart & Co, has a fine lot of sweet Florida oranges. Merchants should

V. G. Hatch, the dry goods dealer has been confined to his home by illness

for a week. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Judy, of Upper Alton, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. T.

Mrs. N. E. Pegram, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Summers, returned to her home in Lincoln yesterday REBUTRIO COURTESIES.

Mrs. D. W. Rider, of Jacksonville arrived in the city this morning and is a guest of Dr. W. B. Hostetler and family

on Prairie Avenue. Charles Handy and family, of West

Bay City, Mich., are in the city for a visit of a rew days with his brother, George W. Handy, the real estate agent.

J. M. Booker and his family of four-teen children ten girls and four boys arrived from Moawequa yesterday after noon. They will reside in Decatur.

Mrs. H. L. Barlowe and sister, Miss Annie Stockbridge, of the Hotel Bruns-wick, departed this morning for Pana, where they will remain for several days.

Miss Bessie Pegram, of Lincoln, will arrive in the city to-day from Olney, on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A.T. Summers, the has been visiting with Judge Wilson and family in Olney.

Miss Zora Osborne has accepted a po-sition as stenographer in the office of W. R. Bresie, superintendent of the Pacific Express Company in this city. She was formerly with Macon County Title Ab-

Under the Wheels. Allan Farr, the 19 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Farr, residents of East Wood street, in attempting to board Illinois Central freight train No. 10 last evening, slipped and fell in such a manner as to catch his right foot under the car wheels, the foot being almost severed. when he was picked up by friends. He was carried to his home and Drs. Chenoweth and Myers summoned; after administering chloroform to the unfortunate young man, the doctors amputated the limb four inches above the ankle. This is but another incident in which the foolbardy habit of jumping on trains has caused the maining of a person for life. It is to be hoped that we may yet see the time when the practice is stopped, if not by one course by another.

> "Saturday Market." REMOVAL.

Hereafter the ladies of St. Johns church will hold their market at the rooms of Miss L. A. Estes on West side of Library Block. Particular attention is called to their superior Mince Meat

THE BIG SHOE FACTORY.

Captures It.

Heuver & Gliddon Select a Per-



Approved for the Removal. The Building to be Put up Under

the Direction of Mr. Gliddon. United Action of Business Men Wins the

God news, dear pepole! Lust night Messrs. Henver & Gliddon decided to locate their extensive shoe factory at Decatur, and the articles of agreement or contract were drawn up and approved.

The shoe factory is a fixed fact, and Decatur has good cause to plume itself upon the success which has attended the efforts of its citizens in adding to its productive industries a most valuable improvement. Our people have always been impressed with the belief that the more smoke stacks which rear their heads, the more dinner pails people carry, the better it will be for our whole population. People are an absolute ne cessity to a town-people who are om ployed in producing something that the world needs-people who have employment at wages which enable them to support their families. It is not "retired" people, wealthy people who have no need to labor, who make a town, and if we had none but these our prosperity would be but feebie, though we owe much to our wealthy residents of enterprise. What we need to bring prosperity to to Decator is the means which will enable men and women to make their living by their labor, and build up their own prosperity as well as add to the gen-

eral wealth. There is no wealth producer that compares with labor, not even a gold mine will equal it. Therefore, the shoe factory is equivalent to the finding of a gold mine, for everybody gets a share of the benefit. The merchant sells more goods because its operatives have to be supplied with groceries and dry goods and clothing, and the butcher and miller are benefitted by the increased demand created by the men and women who are enabled to buy flour and meat out of the results of their labor. And so it might be added is every man who needs any thing that outers into the multiplied wants of a community that finds employment and wages in our factories and

The citizens whose efforts to diversify our industries have been crowned with success in the securing of the shoe factory are, therefore, public benefactors. They can do still more if they will but continue their united efforts and work with an eye single to the one purpose of building up our industries. The efforts that have been made in this direction have been singularly well planned, and the unanimity displayed give the true secret of success. What we want is the ununimous action of our people. "A long pull, a strong pull and a pull all together" is

LOOKING AT SITES. During yesterday afternoon two fine carriages were secured by Chairman Young of the site selecting committee, and with the members of the committee and George W. Powers and C. W. Battles, Messrs Henver & Gliddon were shown various desirable sites for the factory building. There was no final decision reached, but the visitors soon learned

Through the kindness of President Shellabarger and Manager Ferguson the courtesies of the Citizens' company were extended to the visitors and a number of citizens for a trip over the line. The vestibule car was brought up on Lincoln Sonare at 4 o'clock and filled by the visitors and citizens. A trip was first taken over the West Main street line to Oakland Park, during which the visitors were shown the beauties of the residence portion of that section of the city, and afterwards a trip was taken over the Condit and Water street extensions, where the newer portions of the city were pointed out, and even to many of the Decatur party the wonderful growth of the city in the last few years was in the nature of (revelation. A stop was made for a few minutes at the end of the Condit street line, to show the rapid growth of the city in a direction that is entirely new. A trip was then made over the East Eldorado extension to the East Park Boulevards, the furthest limits reached in that

itors were loud in their praises of the rapid growth of Decatur, and could not repress their enthusiasm, which broke out again upon visiting, later, the harness factory of Stair & Son, and the gas works and electric light plant, as well as the Grand Opera House, which was a vision of beauty that was a surprise to the

THE NIGHT MEETING. By previous arrangement Mr. Heuver

and Mr. Glidden met the committee, Mesers. F. M. Young, L. Burrows, K. H. Roby, J. M. Clokey, James Millikin and C. A. Ewing, in the parlor at the St. Nicholas Hotel last night. Mayor Kanan, D. S. Shellabarger and George W. Powers were also of the party. The Chester gentlemen and the committee felt that that meeting was to decide positively the onestion of removal, and it did. Soon after 10 o'clock the matter was definitely settled on points suggested by the factory gentlemen, who made a rough draft of the contract which was agreed to by the committee on behalf of the citizens of Decatur. All of the details were arranged with the exception of the site, which aske you low apr 16-df

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from the subscription of \$11,000, it will be seen that there will of necessity be some delay in closing the purchase. Heuver & Gliddon have indicated the location they desire and now it is the duty of the committee to secure the ground ea. which will be put up a three-story brick building, 35x115 feet, with basement, Mr. Gliddon to come here and superintend

the construction of the same in person. As stated in last evening's edition the gentlemen are to remove from Chester about July 1. They have been there nearly four years of their successful business career of 20 years, and in Decatur they have a permanent location, where, as Mr. Gliddon said to the REPUBLICAN reporter last night, "I expect to live and die. I like Decatur better than any city I have seen. Litchtiel is a busy little place, but Decatur is a busy big city, with every evidence of solid growth and stirring enterprise. At Litchfield I can get a big lot for the money I would have to pay here for a foot front. That is enough for me. Where land is valuable there is comething behind it."

Mr. Henver has a large family, and I catur in every respect, and I am glad the question of location is so satisfactorily settled."

In the hotel office last night there was general display of lively enthusiasm over the pleasing decision, and in a jocular manner orders were placed at once for Decatur made shoes, which will join with the check rowers and various other nannfactured articles in giving Decatur good name abroad far and wide.

The shoe factory will give lucrative employment to 100 to 150 people; many of our people will find work to do at once, new homes will be required, and every branch of trade benefitted by this actory capture.

Decatur has done splendidly in this sharp contest against 75 other cities, one of which was Springfield, Ohio, where it took the citizens of that city about three seeks to raise the \$11,000 that energetic Decatur produced within 24 hours.

The capture of the shoe factory has een achieved by the united, determined etion of our people, who were stimulated to activity largely through the persistent ersonal efforts of Secretary Clokey, of the Decatur Board of Trade, sided by George W. Powers, who had personal knowledge of the solid standing of the firm of Houver & Gliddon. The effect of this important capture can not be stimated. It means much for Decatur.

It is known that four other industries, one employing 200 men, are knocking at our doors, and Decatur's grit in the shoe factory capture cannot fail to impress seekers for location that this city is the point they are looking for. Let them come. Give them hearty welcome, and don't forget to hustle let everybody work together for the same object the capture of more factories. SPREAD THE NEWS.

utur Board of Trade that all Decatur off guilbrands at officer blueds eleged news of Decatur's growth by sending opies of the local papers to their friends n other cities, so that general attention may be directed to our advantages, Poor old Springfield, 4fl. very Ill.

It is suggested by members of the De-

Poor old Bloomington! where is she? Poor old Springfield, Ohio in the sonp Poor old Litchfield! ditto Lincoln.

The Baptist Church. The interest in the meetings at this church is increasing in every way, The congregations nearly fill the ground floor every night. Dr. Vosburgh preached a sermon last night that moved the people more than any he has delivered this week. Onite a number rose for prayers, most of them being men, and three were converted. To-night a number of perions will be received into the church

otsh some fine music. All the sents are

The pastor pleaches at 7:30, and Mrs.

Spaulding and Miss Randolph will fur-

The Deepest Snow. The heaviest snow full of the winter rame this morning, and at an early hour the merry jingle of the sleigh bells was board in different quarters of the city. It is a heavy wet snow, and consequently the electric cars have been made to suffer inconveniences with which they buttled successfully. Cars are running right

along regularly.

Decatur Musical College. The rooms of the Decatur musical college were filled last evening by friends of the college. It was the thirty-ninth recital given by the pupils and was a most interesting programme. The following took part: Misses Gertrude Griswo'd, Lota Bishop, Nellie Gher, Paulina Johnson, Sarah Imboden, Nettie Strumpf, Emma Cain, Mande McCnue, Jessie Steele, Lelia Keefer, Laura Mae Grindol, Maude Leflingwell, Maria Ewing, and Masters Roy Shimer, Harold Young and

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

January Term—Judge E. P. Vail Presiding.

FRIDAY, PEBRUARY 7. Court convened at 8:30 a. m. CHANCERY DOCKED

Thomas Dewey vs Lewis Thompson et al; chancery. Decree pro confesso against adult defendants not answering in original and cross Charles E Morgan et al vs. Mary Morgan et al; partition. Decree pro confesso against adults not answering, and referred to master. PROPLE'S DOUBET.

People vs. Frank Foster, forgery Trial by jury pending. The case went to the jury thi afternoon. Knights of Pythias.

At the meeting of Courde Leon Lodge of Knights of Pythias, held last evening, F. O. Damrow, J. H. Drury and T. B. Jones were accepted as Knights. The lodge recently purchased of M. C. Lilly & Co., of Columbus, Ohio, a complete paraphernalia. The outfit was received yesterday and was worn by the Knights ut their meeting last evening. It consists of 13 suits, and is used by those engaged in conferment of degrees. There is but one outfit in this section of the country that is liner than the one used by the local lodge. That one is used by the Knights of Pythias lodge in Indian apolis and is valued at \$2,000.

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henven's sake!" shouted a dozen deep OTTENHEIMER * & * CO.'S. "The young fool's mad -stark mad!" cared the English colonel, recovering from his stupor of amazement. "Come back this minute, you young idiot! Bo you want to be killed?"



A Little Disfigured

Rumatix kind o' knocked us, but still we are able to lossing beraims in the air and strug to show some of the LIVELIEST BARGAINS IN hing to break loose from her husband, who was halding her trends for course CLOTHING to be found in Decatur, as the EN- inches end already lost, he had no wish TIRE STOCK OF CLOTHING GOES,

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TELEPHONE 76. May 13-dtf



A BABY IN THE BATTLE.

AN INCIDENT IN THE CAREER OF MEROIC LORD CHARLES HAY.

and, Railing the Helpless Child in His Arms, Carried It Up to the Enemy's Front and Delivered It to the Mother.

In trath "Young Salamander" (other-ise Lord Charles Hay of the First Life

Suards; did soem to be running a fearful

tween the French and English in Bel-

gium was at its hottest. The French army was much the stronger of the two,

and although the English held their ground as stubbornly as bulldogs it seemed very doubtful which way the

ight would go. Just then, in the thick

of the aproar and confusion, the rolling enoke and the flying shot, young Hay whose bravery under fire had long since

garned him the nickname of "Salamander" from his adoring soldiers) was seen to step forth from the English line and

tould live in such a storm of shot; and

what could be possibly begoing to do

"Come back, my lord; come back, for

But Lord Charles still went forward

without a moment's pause, as if he had not heard them. Then the English

cased firing in sheer astonishment; but just at that moment the flash and crackle

of a fresh volley burst forth like a storm along the gluttering line of French bayo-nets, and all was hidden in smoke. When

the smoke cleared again every one expect-

d to see the brave lad lying dead. But

no Hay was still on his feet. His cap

And now the French grenadiers, begit-

emoke, stopped in reg in their turn, sup

aressage from the Bruish general, and

the attention of the two contending hosts. was best upon the solitary figure be-

tween the a state then a sudden gust of wind whiled useds for a moment the

don't of smoke and dust, and every one

aw for the first time what Lord Charles

A little to the best of the English line

of buttle stood a cluster of miserable hovels, and the Hemish peasants who in-

montal there, meetal of running away

when the battle or an, as one might have expected, had stayed where they

were seeing that the fight scenard to be

rolling away from them, and not liking

the Heror abandonas; their buts, which, the only home that they had. But they

soon found that they were mistaken, for a sudden change in the position of the

two armies, brought, these unlucky cot-tages tight into the line of fire, and the

terrified presants, finding the carnon

balls falling thickly on every side of

them, took to their heels at once, dragreads they could manage to carry.

In the harry of this panie flight a tiny

had tallen or been left behind, and was

now lying on the ground midway be-

ween the Trenen and English lines, crying but rly, while her mother could be

seen in the distance shricking wildly and

APPLAUDID BY THE ENEMY. Colly as if on purade the brave young

guar laman strode enward to the spot

where the helpless callel lay, his fair hair and stight years face showing through

the bulowy smoke like those of an angel

say it said afterward that the poor little

(repulser ceased crying at once, as if south of an i comforted by his gentle

his own body as much as possible be-tween the child and the leveled muskets

of the Libneh, he went straight on, as

"Don't tre, comrades-don't fire!"

sol far, whose grunt face was black with

At that moment a mighty shout, which

was reard night above the four of cannon.

and musle try from the other side of the

battlefeld, burst from the English ranks

as they saw their young hero bearing the child unharmed across that deadly space, and scarcely had the cheer died

away when it was echoed by an answer-

ing cheer from the French, which rolled along the vast plain like a peel of distant thun is r. Meanwhile the young

officer, passing close to the cruel points

of the French bayonets as coolly as if they had been only bulrushes, with the

they face nestling trustingly against his

shoulder, went straight up to the dis-

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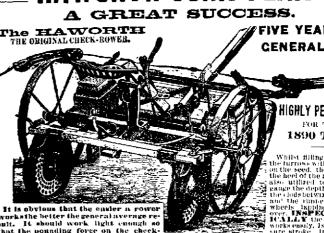
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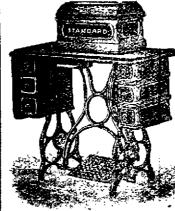
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